

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A system having a speech processor for controlling an apparatus (101) with speech commands, includes a remote control
5 (102) having a microphone (104) for the input speech commands. The system also includes a further microphone (107) for enabling other users of the system to issue speech commands. The system may have an input designator (105) for enabling the user to selectively designate the microphone (104) and/or the further microphone (107)
10 as the signal source to the speech processor.